AUCTION SALES.

THIS AFTERNOON.

JAMES W. RATCLIFFE, AUCTIONEER.

AUCTION SALE OF VALUARLE IMPROVED PROPERTY KNOWN AS PREMISES NO. 214
FOUR-AND-ONE-HALF STREET SOUTH-WEST.

By direction of the owner, the undersigned willoffer for sale at public auction, in front of the premises, on SATURDAY, OCTOBER THIRD, 1903, AT HALF-PAST FOUR O'CLOCK P.M., part of lot numbered fifteen (15), in square numbered five hundred and thirty-four (534), in the city of Washington, District of Columbia, beginning on Fourand-One-Half street 20 feet from the southwest corner of the lot, running thence north 28 feet; thence east 145 feet to an alley; thence south 28 feet, and thence west 145 feet to the point of beginning, improved by a two-story frame dwelling house known as No. 214 Four-and-One-Half street southwest.

Terms of sale: One-third (1-3) of the purchase Terms of sale: One-third (1-3) of the purchase price in cash, and the balance in one and two years, with interest, or all cash, at the purchaser's option. The property will be sold free of all incumbrances. Terms of sale must be complied with within ten days, otherwise the right is reserved to resell at the risk and cost of the purchaser. All conveyancing, recording and notary fees at the cost of the purchaser.

cost of the purchaser.
M. J. COLLEGET, Century Building, se25-d&ds MONDAY.

C. G. SLOAN & CO., AUCTIONEERS, 1407 G ST.

HENRY S. MATTHEWS.

JAMES W. RATCLIFFE, AUCT.

Peremptory sale of frame house No. 1131 New Jersey avenue northwest, now under rental \$23.50 per month.

On MONDAY AFTERNOON, OCTOSER FIFTH, 1903, AT HALF-PAST FOUR O'CLOCK, I will offer for sale by public auction, in front of the premises, part lot 9, in square 557, fronting 16 feet by depth of 89.8, improved by a frame house, now under good rental.

Terms stated at sale. \$100 on acceptance of bid. yancing at purchaser's cost.
ds JAMES W. RATCLIFFE, Auct. e28-d&ds WALTER B. WILLIAMS & CO., AUCTIONEERS.

PAWNBROKER'S AUCTION SALE OF UNRE-DEEMED PLEDGES. DEEMED PLEDGES.

I will sell, at the store of S. Burnstine, 361 Pa.
ave. n.w., AT HALF-PAST SEVEN P. M. MONDAY, OCTOBER FIFTH, 1903, all unredeemed
pledges in his store on which is due one year's
interest or more. This sale consists of Gold, Silver, Gold-filled and Metal Watches, Diamonds of
all descriptions, Rings, Chains, Lockets, Searfver, Gold-filled and Metal Watches, Diamonds of all descriptions, Rings, Chains, Lockets, Scarfpins, Studs, Earrings, Lace Pins, Bracelets, Cuff Buttons, Spectacles and Eyeglasses, Field and Opera Glasses, Books, Gans, Pistols, Musical, Surgical, Mechanical and Dental Instruments, Iron and Wooden Clocks, Billiard Balls, Bicycles, Phonographs, Satchels, Full Dress Cases and Microscopes, Clothing, Ladies' and Gents' Wearing Apparel of all kinds, and numerous other articles. Sale to continue every day until all lots are sold. Holders of tickets, please take notice.

S. BURNSTINE, Broker, WALTER B. WILLIAMS & CO., Auctioneers, se29,30oc1,2,3,5

FUTURE DAYS.

Executors' Sale of very valuable business and residence properties, to close

THOS. J. OWEN & SON, AUCTS., 913 F ST. N.W.

ING. NO. 215 G STREET NORTHEAST. ALSO 2 2-STORY BRICK DWELLINGS AND STORES, NOS. 1246 AND 1250 32D STREET NORTHWEST. By virtue of authority vested in us, we will sell, at public auction in front of the respective above mertioned premises, as follows, viz.:

On MONDAY, OCTOBER TWELFTH, 1903, AT FOUR O'CLOCK P.M., the west 25 feet by full depth of lot 6, in square 451, being premises 635 D st. n.w. h.W., HALF-PAST FOUR O'CLOCK P.M., SAME lot 87, square 448, fronting 26,25 feet on M the full depth of said lot, being premises 600 M st. a.w.

A: FIVE O'CLOCK P.M., SAME DAY, the east 25 feet of lot 15 by the full depth thereof, in square 753, being premises No. 215 G st. n.e.
On TUESDAY, OCTOBER THRITEENTH, 1903.
AT HALF-PAST FOUR O'CLOCK P.M., parts of lots 87 and 88, in square 1218, being premises 1246 and 1250 32d st. n.w. The above properties are all very desirable and should command the attention of any one looking for a good investment, as they must be sold to close this estate.

Terms: One-third cash, balance in one and two years, with interest at 5 per cent, secured by a deed of trust upon the property sold, or all cash, at the option of the purchaser. A deposit of \$100.00 required upon each parcel upon acceptance of oid. at the option of the purchaser. A deposit of \$100.09 required upon each parcel upon acceptance of oid. Terms of sale to be compiled with within 15 days. Recording, etc., at cost of purchaser.

F. P. MAY.
FRANCIS MILLER,
se30-d&ds

Executors.

C. G. SLOAN & CO., AUCTIONEERS, 1407 G ST.

RETIRING SALE OF THE VALUABLE STOCK RETIRING SALE OF THE VALUABLE STOCK OF PLUMBERS' SUPPLIES, TOOLS, MATERIALS, ETC., CONTAINED IN THE WELL-KNOWN ESTABLISHMENT OF MR. C. G. THORN, NO. 1227 G STREET NORTHWEST. We have received instructions from Mr. C. G. Thorn, who is retiring from business, to close out his entire stock of plumbers' supplies, tools and material of his establishment at No. 1227 G street northwest by public auction, in detail, on TUESDAY, OCTOBER SIXTH, 1903, AT TEN O'CLOCK A.M.

A.M. Comprising late styles of Porcelain and Iron Enameled Bath Tubs. Water Closet Outrits, Marble Wash Stands, Shower Baths, Flush Baths, Closet Bowls, Basins, Nickel Bath Room Fixtures, Faucets, Gas Globes, Brass Stop Cocks, New Flat-top Baltimore Ranges, Extra Heavy 40-gallon Range Bollers, Closet Seats, Pipe Boards, Lead Pipe, Stocks and Dies, Vise, Pipe Cutters, Lead Beads and Traps, Light and Heavy Brass Ferrules, Gas and Water Pipe Testing Piugs, Brass Pipe, Gaivarized Fittings, Sinks and Slabs, Lot Tools, Office Fixtures and other goods as usually found in an establishment of this character. TERMS CASH.
se30-dts C. G. SLOAN & CO., Auctioneers.

R. F. KNOX, AUCTIONEER.

AUCTION SALE OF VALUABLE BRICK CLAY LANDS AND A DESIRABLE FARM IN ALEX-ANDRIA COUNTY, VIRGINIA, TO SETTLE THE ESTATE OF THE LATE HORACE S. JOHNSTON.

Pursuant to the terms of a decree rendered by the Circuit Court of Alexandria county, Virginia, in the chancery cause of Johnston et al. vs. Johnston et al., therein depending, the undersigned will offer for sale at public auction, on THURNDAY, OCTOBER EIGHTH, 1903, AT THREE O'CLOCK P.M., at the intersection of the Washington and Alexandria. at the intersection of the Washington and Alexan-dria turnpike and the Columbia turnpike, in Alex-andria county, Virginia, the following valuable real

1. A tract of land situate in Jefferson district, con-A tract of land situate in Jefferson district, containing 6 acres and 631 thousandths, bounded on the north and east by the lands of the Virginia Brick Company, the Washington Southern Railway Company and Robert P. Bodge, and on the south and west by the Columbia turnpike and the lands of Lewis Clephane, which tract contains brick clay and some desirable sites for stores, dwelling houses, etc.

containing 55 acres and 229 thousandths, bounded on the north by the Mt. Olive subdivision and the U. S. government reservation, on the east and south by the lands of Charles Ford, J. P. Appleman and the Columbia turnpike and on the west by the Alexandria and Georgetown road and the Mt. Olive subdivision, which tract contains some of the most valuable brick clay land in said county of Alexan-dria.

valuable brick clay land in said county of Alexandria.

3. A tract of land situate in Washington district, containing 20 acres and 219 thousandths acres, bounded a the north and east by the lands of Dr. P. M. Rixey and Peter Jackson et al., and on the south and west by the lands of Peter Jackson, Dr. P. M. Rixey, and by land belonging to the estate of John Birch, deceased, which tract of land is a most desirable one for farming purposes or for a building site for a suburban home, it being near some of the most beautiful homes in Alexandria county, and overlooking the cit—of Washington and the Potomac river for many m.les, and a portion of said tract being covered with large original oak trees.

All the above property has been recently surveyed, and plats of said surveys can be seen at the offices of any of the undersigned.

Terms of sale: One-third cash and the balance in six twelve and eighteen months, the deferred payments to be evidenced by the notes of the purchaser or purchasers, bearing interest from the date of saie, and the title to be retained until the whole of the purchase money is paid. Conveyancing at the cost of the purchaser or purchasers.

FRANCIS L. SMITH,

123 S. Royal St. Alexandria, Va.;

R. ROSS PERRY

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GARDNER L. BOOTHE,
128 S. Fairfax St., Alexandria, Va.;
WALTER A. JOHNSTON,
building, Washington, D. C.; JAMES E. CLEMENTS,

1400 G st. n.w., Washington, D. C.,
Commissioners of Sale, AUCTION SALES.

FUTURE DAYS.

Chancery Sale of Valuable Improved Real Estate, Being Three-Story Brick Building No. 723 13th St. N. W., and Two Three-Story Brick Buildings Nos. 418 and 420 10th St. N. W.

By virtue of a decree of the Supreme Court of the District of Columbia, passed in equity cause of Kate F. Steele vs. William M. Masi et al., No. 21010, we will sell, at public auction, in front of the respective premises, at the times stated below, the following real estate, situate in the city of Wishington, District of Columbia, together with the improvements thereon, and all of the rights, ways, easements privileges and appurtenances to the same belonging or in anywise appertaining, to wit:

wit:
On WEDNESDAY, THE FOURTEENTH DAY
OF OCTOBER, 1903, AT HALF-PAST FOUR
O'CLOCK P.M., all of original lot numbered sixteen (16), in square numbered three hundred and
forty-eight (348), improved by the two three-story
brick huildings, Nos. 418 and 420 10th st. n.w.,
freating about 51 feet 9 inches on said street by a
depth of 100 feet C. G. SLOAN & CO., AUCTIONEER3, 1407 G ST.

TRUSTEES' SALE OF THREE TWO-STORY
BRICK DWELLINGS, NOS. 2710, 2714 AND
2716 K ST. N.W., WASHINGTON, D. C.
By virtue of a certain deed of trust, recorded in
Liber No. 2510, folio 257 et seq., of the land records of the District of Columbia, and at the request of the holders of the notes secured thereby, we, the undersigned, will sell at public auction, in front of the premises, on MONDAY, OCTOBER FIFTH, 1903, AT HALF-PAST FOUR P.M., the following described land and premises, situate in the city of Washington, District of Columbia, known and distinguished as and being all of lots numbered twenty-eight (28), twenty-nine (29) and thirty-one (31), in Hilliand Owen's subdivision of original lot fourteen (14), in square numbered one (1), as per plat recorded in Book 24, page 106, of the records of the office of the surveyor for the District of Columbia.

Terms of sale: One-third of purchase money in cash, bulan e to be represented by note of purchaser, have been been been been been dead of trust on the property sold, or all cash, at option of purchaser. A deposit of \$100 on each piece sold will be required at time of sale. All conveyancing, acknowledging and recording at purchaser's cost. Terms of sale: One-third fifteen days from day of sale to be compiled with within fifteen days from day of sale to be compiled with within fifteen days from day of sale to be compiled with within fifteen days from day of sale, all conveyancing, acknowledging and recording at purchaser's cost. Terms of sale to be compiled with within fifteen days from day of sale, or right reserved to resell at cost of defaulting purchaser.

Trustee, HENRY S. MATTHEWS.

Trustee: SALE OF AN UNDIVIDED ONE-

TRUSTEE'S SALE OF AN UNDIVIDED ONE-SIXTH INTEREST IN SQUARE NO. 980. By virtue of a deed of trust duly recorded in Liber No. 2513, folio 228 et seq., of the land rec-ords of the District of Columbia, and at the reords of the District of Columbia, and at the request of the party secured thereby, the undersigned trustee will offer for sale, by public auction, within the sales rooms of James W. Ratcliffe, No. 920 Penna. ave. n.w., on THURSDAY, THE EIGHTH DAY OF OCTOBER, A. D. 1903, AT HALE-PAST FOUR O'CLOCK P.M., the following described real estate, situate in the city of Washington, District of Columbia, to wit: Undivided one-sixth interest in square 980.

Terms stated at time of sale.

ISAAC W. NORDLINGER.

THOS. J. OWEN & SON, AUCTIONEERS.

33 Jersey cows, 12 of which are fresh; 2 horses, dairy outfit, farming implements, etc.,

At Auction. At Auction.

On TUESDAY. OCTOBER SIXTH, 1903, AT ONE O'CLOCK P.M., we will sell, at public auction, on the Gray farm, on Piney Branch road, near Brightwood, a choice herd of 33 Jersey Cows. 2 Horses, 1 Bull, 6 Heifers, 2 Hefrer Calves, Brood Sow, Market Wagon, Two-horse Farm Wagon, 1 Cart and Harness, Open Spring Wagon, Milk Wagon, set of Double Harness, Plow Harness, Plows, Cultivators, Harrow, Wheelbarrow, Shovels, Forks, etc., Champion Milk Cooler, Sanitary Milk Pails., 6 10 gallon, and 15 5-gailon New Milk Cans, lot of Cut Oat Feed, etc.

Terms: Cash.

oc1-4t THOS. J. OWEN & SON, Auctioneers. Brown & Tolson, Aucts., 1409-11 N. Y. Ave.

Notice is hereby given that on THURSDAY, OC-TOBER EIGHTH, 1903, AT TEN A.M., within the auction rooms of Brown & Tolson, 1409-11 New York ave., I will sell all goods stored with me in the following names, to cover storage charges due and unpaid: Mrs. Julia Frye, Mrs. N. T. N. Robinson, Mrs. M. L. Crusor. E. A. CARNEAL, THOMAS J. OWEN & FON, AUCTIONEERS.

TRUSTEES' SALE OF VALUABLE FRAME DWELLING AT GARFIELD, D. C. AM estate.

BEING THE HANDSOME 3-STORY BRICK DWELLING NO. 609 M STREET NORTHWEST. WITH 2-STORY BRICK STORE, NO. 635 D STREET NORTHWEST, WITH 2-STORY BRICK STORE, NO. 635 D STREET NORTHWEST, WITH 2-STORY BRICK STORE, NO. 635 D STREET NORTHWEST, WITH 2-STORY BRICK BUILDING IN REAR. 2-STORY BRICK DWELL.

BUILDING IN REAR. 2-STORY BRICK DWELL.

DWELLING AT GARFIELD, D. C.

By virtue of two certain deeds of trust, duly recorded in Liber 2311, folio 81, and Liber 2523, folio 398 et seq., of the land records of the District of Columbia, and at the request of the party secured thereby, we will sell, at public auction, on the premises, on FRIDAY. OCTOBER NINTH, 1903, AT TWO O'CLOCK P.M., the following described land and premises, to wit: Lot No. 68, in Geo. E. Emmons sub of part of Chichester, now called Garfield, situate in the county of Washington, said District. ton, said District.
Terms: One-third cash, balance in one and two

years, at 6%, secured on property sold, or all cash, Deposit of \$50 at time of sale. Conveyancing at THOMAS GAFFNEY, JOHN LANGHAM, Jr., Trustees.

R. M. PARKER,
Rooms 50 and 51,
Atlantic building,
Attorney for party secured.

JAMES W. RATCLIFFE, AUCTIONEER. Trustees' sale of nine (9) Brick Houses in Schott's alley, in square between B and C, 1st and 2d streets northeast, and Brick House numbered 84 Defrees street north-

Under and by virtue of a certain deed of trust, duly recorded among the land records for the District of Columbia, in Liber 2468, at folio 210 et seq.. and at the request of the party thereby secured, we will offer for sale, at public auction, in front of the premises, on TUESDAY, THE SIXTH DAY OF OCTOBER, A. D. 1903, AT FOUR O'CLOCK P.M., lots numbered sixty-one (61), sixty-two (62), sixty-three (63), sixty-four (64), sixty-eight (68), sixty-inine (69), seventy-one (71) and the east thirteen (13) feet, three (3) inches by the full depth thereof, of lot sixty-seven (67), in John Sherman's subdivision of part of square 725, as per plat recorded in Liber 13, folio 10, surveyor's office of the District of Columbia, improved by nine two (2) story-brick houses.

And upon the same day at HALF-PAST FOUR O'CLOCK P.M., we will offer for sale, at public auction, in front of the premises, lot numbered forty-six (46) in Alexander R. Shepard's subdivision of square numbered 623, improved by brick residence, numbered 84 Defrees street northwest.

A deposit of fifty (\$50.00) dollars will be required on each house at the time of sale.

Terms of sale: One-third (½) cash, and the balance, secured by deed of trust upon the property sold, payable in equal installments of one, two and three years, with interest at the rate of 6 per centum per annum, payable semi-annually, or all cash, at the option of the purchaser. Terms of sale to be compiled with within fifteen (15) days from the date of sale, or the preperty will be resold at the risk and cost of the defaulting purchaser. All conveyancing and recording at the cost of the purchaser. west.

LEON TOBRINER, CHARLES MEYER, CHARLES MEYER.

Trustees.

PUBLIC SALE OF VALUABLE REAL ESTATE.
By virtue of a power of sale contained in the last will and testament of John Heflebower, decased, and by virtue of an order passed by the Orphans' Court of Washington county, on the 27th day of March. A.D., 1903, the undersigned, executor of the last will and testament of said John Heflebower, late of Washington county, will sell, at public sale, in front of the court house in Higgerstown, Washington county, Md., between the hours of ONE AND THREE O'CLOCK I'M., ON TUESDAY, CCTOBER SIXTH, 1903, all the following valuable real estate:

Tract No. 1—Being all that valuable farm, situate in election district No. 11, in said Washington county, Md., about 1½ miles north of Sandy Hook, adjoining the lands of William Stonebraker, James Smith and Mrs. Johanna F. Suckern, and others, containing 14 rooms, garret and a large, dry cellar; a good tenement house, a large new bank barn, corn cribs, wagon sheds, hog pens, carriage houses, implement house, a good brick dry house, meat, wood, ice, spring, chicken and vinegar houses, blacksmith and carpenter shops, an abundant supply of good, rever-failing mountain water near the kitchen door; ice and fish pond, a large apple orchard, a large pear orchard, containing between three and four hundred young and thrifty Bartlet pear trees in prime bearing condition; plenty of fruit of every description. This farm is undergood fencing and has water in nearly every field; it is convenient to market, school, church and store. The land is in a high state of cultivation. This is one of the most convenient and productive farms in Washington county, Md.

Tract No. 2—Contains one hundred acres, more or less, of mountain land, part of which is adjacent to tract No. 1, and takes in a part of Maryland Heights and the fort, and adjoins the lands of Jemes Smith, Stonebrakers and others. This land is thickly set in the best of chestnat and locust timber. The monnatain land will be sold in two or more tracts to suit purchasers.

Terms of se25-d&ds PUBLIC SALE OF VALUABLE REAL ESTATE.

Possession given on the 1st day of April, A.D.



BIG PILES OF TRUNKS.

VACATION PERIOD OVER

WASHINGTONIANS COMING HOME FOR THE WINTER.

Busy Scenes at Depots and Wharves-Baggage and Passengers Commanding Attention.

The mountains, seashores, lakes and summer resorts of every description and of every degree are pouring into the District of Columbia the many who have been spending their summer vacation away from the heated streets of the nation's capital. Day after day and night after night train loads of browned and healthy-looking Washingtonians are being deposited at the two railroad terminals in the District, to go again to their homes and offices and begin with renewed vigor the tasks that were left idle during the hot months of the vacation period. There is no summer resort in the country that has not had among its guests some person who is now in Washington or who is coming here. 'At least that is what the railroad officials say. The homes and the hotels are all filling up, and from a casual stroll along the avenue or on of the other principal thoroughfares the knowledge is readily gained that the



Homeward Bound.

these days are ousy ones. Every train that comes in has a load of travel-stained and tired passengers. Some have been away all summer, some have been absent but a month or two, while others have been out of the city but a week. They are all com-ing back, however, to resume their avocations and to start in upon their winter's tasks. The staid business man with his family, the stately matron whose family is looking out for itself, the dapper youth and the winsome little maidens are all in town. They are passing through the railroad stations every day and are having the same that they can have a old trouble with their baggage. But what winter's work begins.

can they expect? The railroad officials are not endowed with superhuman powers. They cannot guess where each man's trunk and bag are to be found. They have about three thousand pieces of baggage to look after every day, and that they are able to keep track of any is a wonder to the orkeep track of any is a wonder to the ordinary layman. Record of a Day.

There came through the 6th street depot 2,500 people from the trains that arrived during the twenty-four hours ending with Wednesday evening. A rough estimate by the railroad officials gives each one of these persons one piece of baggage, and but for the most careful efforts of the baggage master and his assistants the result would have been chaos. And Wednesday was not a remarkable day. The average ar-rivals at the 6th street station was about 2,700 in each twenty-four hours during the month of September.

The average at New Jersey avenue station was considerably lower, because there are not as many roads having a terminus at that station as there are at 6th street. This would appear to be a heavy passenger list for twenty-four hours on the railroads, and it is. The fact is the average is be-tween 1,000 and 1,500 higher than the normal figures.

A conservative estimate of the average daily migration to Washington, as gathered through the railroad officials in the sumner and winter, is from 2,000 to 2,500. This includes the passengers arriving by railroad at the two stations and by boat. It will be seen, therefore, that the number of people coming into the city from all these points during the fall, when returning from summer vacations, is from 3.000 Visual evidence of the enormous amount of baggage that is being handled by the

railroads can be had by any person who strolls along any of the principal streets fifteen or twenty minutes and keeps his eyes open. Trucks and wagons of all kinds loaded to the highest point with trunks and baggage can be seen rolling along the thoroughfares from the direction of the depots and steamboat wharves, and little is seen going to the whaves or depots. And the baggage is what troubles the railroad officials the most. The passengers can look out for themselves, but the baggage falls to the care of the railroad people, who literally "have their hands full.

The Luggage Carried.

The amount of luggage carried by the average American, especially the American woman, is regarded as notably large, though considerably less than the amount carried by foreigners, and all of it is consigned to the railroad, which stands responsible for its safe delivery to its owner on his or her arrival at their point of desexperts to handle the trunks and traveling bags of the visitors to Washington alone, and during the great indux that comes at the end of the summer months, when the recidents of the city are coming in, the work of caring for it becomes appalling. Yet there is little baggage lost, and when lost it is very readily located.

The porters and baggage men at the

terminals of the roads entering Washing-ton are all hoping and praying for the speedy close of the vacation season, so that they can have a little rest before the



BAGGAGE SMASHERS DOING THEIR DAILY WORK.

Sweetmeats and Microbes.

Now that the microbe scare is one of themost popular hygienic fads, it does seem a bit strange that so few are heard to remonstrate against the system that prevails in some of the first-class candy shops for receiving the money which a purchaser In too many instances the salesgirl who handles the money handles the candy, and to see this done over and over again, as one waits, is a trying experience for one who knows the unlimited capacity of paper money to harbor specimens of every disease germ. In some places, to be sure, feints are made at using tongs for filling the boxes with candy, but in "rush hours" the tongs are discarded, while the fingers fly nimbly are discarded, while the lingers fly nimbly about collecting the sweets. Chocolatiers with up-to-date ideas, it seems, should devise some sort of check system by which money can reach the cashier's desk without having to pass through the hands of the salesneonle. salespeople.

> AUCTION SALES. FUTURE DAYS.

C. G. SLOAN & CO., AUCTIONEERS, 1407 G ST.

Beautiful Gilt-frame Mantel Mirror, Handsome Mirror-front and other Wardrobes, Massive Oak Extension Table, Handsome Mirrorback Walnut Sideboard, Leatherseat Dining Chairs, Antique Mahogany Card Table, Parlor Suite, Hall Rack, Secretary, Library Table, Ladies' Desk, Oak and Walnut Chamber Furniture, Odd Bureaus, Washstands and Chiffoniers, Pillows, Eureka Mattresses, Bedding, Enamel Bedsteads, Lounges, Rockers and Tables, Combination Book Case, Lace Curtains, Portieres, Carpets throughout the house, White Enamel ChifFOOTWEAR FOR AUTUMN.

Variations on Summer Styles in Shoes -Cuban Heels the Favorites.

From the Illustrated Footwear-Fashion The last season has been notable in the fashionable world for the attention bestowed upon the feet, and the coming one will offers in exchange for his parcel of sweets. | be marked by the same characteristics. It will be impossible, of course, to display the fantastic footwear which adorned the summer promenades upon the winter streets, but in the house, both by day and night, my lady will find ample opportunity for the elaborate clothing of her pedal extremities.

In evening slippers there is a deluge of patterns and ideas which defy classification. Straps and open laced designs are conspicuous, and some colonials are seen, but with small tongues and gros grain silk bows, instead of large tongues and buckles.

No radical change is observable in the fall footwear fashions, the only novelties being variations on the summer styles. It is impossible for heels to grow any higher, for they have reached their limit, and it is unlikely that they will grow lower at present, although some dealers anticipate such change from the fact that a good many heels have been returned to them to be lowered. The extra high Cuban heel seems to be gaining on the Louis Quinze, and is all the rage, for many women will wear the former who would not tolerate the latter, thinking, quite without reason, that becaus the Cuban heel is not concaved, it is all

> The order of the day seems to be high heels, narrow to s and close edges, but it will not be hard for those who prefer them and do not mind being in the minority to find comfortable toes and heels.

> With improved methods in the making of bright leathers they will be worn more than ever. People like the appearance of these leathers, and many will wear nothing else. They are all liable to crack, it is true, but the new varieties, being softer than the old patent leather, are less likely to do so, and they look well quite as long as, or even longer, than kid and calf.
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> Button boots for women are gaining ground, and one of the reasons advanced for the higher prices of some of the new snoes is an increase in the price of shoe

Run the Gamut From Kittens to Tigers.

REIGN LIKE A BABY

HOW A PET PARROT UPSET A SHIP'S DISCIPLINE.

What Happened a Craft That Carried More Monkeys Than Ship-

mates.

Written for The Evening Star by Albert Sonnich-sen, Able Seaman.

A ship on a long voyage without animal pets of some sort is like a home without a baby. There is something missing. Like babies, they may disturb the peace, but their absence leaves a sense of incompleteness. I once sailed on a ship where a nonkey kept us in continuous trouble. He stole our biscuits, upset our sugar jars, dipped his paws in tar pots, then wiped them on our drying wash; tied troublesome knots that we couldn't undo, and deposited all sorts of foreign substances in the cook's flour bag. But when that monkey was lost overboard one day we never thoroughly got over that sense of something missing. We should have been infinitely cheered by finding his hand prints on our clean white shirts.

The character of a ship's pets is usually determined by the ports she sails from. American ships seldom allow their men to have pets at all, but almost all of the British ships that sail the seas have tame animals aboard, varying from cats to crocodiles. Some of these Britishers, toward the end of a long voyage, become veritable floating menageries.

Pet tigers are not unusual aboard East Indiamen. In Calcutta, or Rangoon, bum-boatmen solicit contracts to supply you with tiger cubs at a guinea a head. But not all skippers will stand for domesticated tigers, unless they are very small. The chances are that before the end of the voyage they will cause trouble.

In the streets of Calcutta you may be wandering quietly along in a day dream when suddenly you are startled by the eyes and snout of a small crocodile being thrust under your face.

"Five rupee, sahib. Five rupee, very cheap, sahib," says the turbaned fakir holding out the reptile. Invariably Jack will buy, if he has his month's advance still in his pocket. A fine present for the kids at home, he thinks; so he carries it aboard in a box of sand.

A Parrot That Gave Orders.

Parrots are proverbially known as sailors' pets. I was once shipmate with a most uncommon parrot. He was of the South Africar slate-colored variety. I have heard it said that this species never learns to talk well, but this particular one learned to express himself in nautical English almost too He was at first allowed the freedom of

the ship, and in fine weather he roosted on top of the forecastle. But the great on top of the lorecastle. But the great trouble was that during the still nights, when all hands were peacefully slumbering on the hatches, this parrot would dream that the command of the ship had been turned over to him. We would have been quite content to let him dream himself the Emperor of India, but the trouble was that he gave voice to his delusions of walking the poop.
"All hands—weather fore brace." Thi

was the order that startled us one dark night. As soon as we had rubbed the sleet out of our eyes we could plainly see that there was no need for squaring in yards, so we growled as we crawled up in line to

"Look sharp, there, fellers," continued the voice sharply. Sleepy as we were, we still thought this an authoritative com-mand. But when the voice suddenly bawled out: "Pump ship-reef the lower top-salls," we paused and felt surprised. Just then the officer of the watch came running for'd.

"What's all this row here?" he demanded irritably. "Who's this giving orders?" This thoroughly awakened us. Again the mysterious voice spoke out of the dark-"Merrily we're rolling home-rolling home

Then light dawned upon us. It was that

cursed parrot navigating the ship as he thought it should be navigated. The Pranks of an Alaskan Bear. I was once shipmate with a sailor who

loved to tell of a young bear pet that they had aboard a sealing schooner he was on. The bear had been taken aboard in Kodiak, Alaska, as a small cub, but as months passed by he grew big and developed a passionate love for all his shipmates, which found expression in a wild desire to press them to his bosom in his powerful arms. Finally it was found necessary to chain him up to the fife rail around the pumps.
One day the bear broke loose. He came aft and met the captain coming out of the companionway. He was so glad to see the captain that he rose to throw his arms about his neck, but the captain rudely slammed the cabin door and retreated. Johnny Bear sadly dropped to all fours again and scrambled up on the poop. There he caught sight of the helmsman. With a joyous woof! woof! he rushed to embrace his old friend, but again his advances were not well received. The helmsman deserted his post and scrambled up the mizzen rigging with more speed and noise than Johnny rose sorrowfully on his rear and

g. zed wistfully up the mizzen shrouds. From out his small black eyes came a look of blighted love. He really would not willfully have hurt a flea, but he was unconscious of the tremendous power of his affectionate hugs.

Again Johnny rolled on, down to the main deck. All hands, including the cook, scurried aloft. With low, pathetic walls Johnny paced up and down the deck, not understanding the painted aloft, and the captain and mates were barricaded in the cabin. Then the ship came up into the cabin. Then the sails shook, and soon the and the sails shook, and forth, as the wind and the salls shook, and soon the booms were banging back and forth, as the vessel rolled.

At this juncture a cruising revenue cutter

came up within hailing distance.
"I say," roared the captain through a megaphone, "what's the row aboard?" No answer from the schooner's crew, who were busy aloft dodging swinging ropes. Only Johnny on deck answered. He reared up over the rail and baa-ed like a sheep. He wanted the revenue cutter's captain to come over and be loved. "Schooner ahoy!" roared the revenue cutter officer again. "I say, who's in com-

This time my shipmate, who was the helmsman, who had sought refuge in the mizzen rigging, found time to answer the

"Captain Johnson was-Johnny is now." Poor Johnny. Disappointed at the lack of sympathy that he met on all sides, he finally crawled down the booby hatch. may be that the stores down there, especially the molasses barrel, had something to do with it, but, anyhow, with a last reproachful look aloft he dropped down to play with the molasses. Then the captain rushed out, jerked the hatch cover to and left Johnny a prisoner, while the ship was brought back to her course. The revenue officer came aboard with some men and helped bring Johnny back to his shackles at the main mast, but he came cheerfully, offering to rub his sticky snout in every one's face. The molasses barrel had reciprocated his love.

A Ship That Was Manned by Pets. A case where pets possessed themselves of a ship, although not quite so forcibly as Johnny did, came within my own experi-When the United States transport Zea-

landia arrived in Manila in 1898 with the 10th Pennsylvania aboard the natives Possession given on the lat day or april, a.m., 1004.
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they did no harm and kept out of the cap-

There were monkeys of all sizes-some no larger than kittens, others as big as human babies. We kept them aft as much as possible, away from the officers' quarters, where they congregated in a lively, chattering community.

Each monkey had an individuality distinctly different from the rest. Few people

have seen monkeys together in numbers and know how strikingly marked is the individual character of each one. Some were fighters and self-assertive, some were timid, some were sentimental, some sullen, some cheerful and fond of jokes, and some were thoughtful. My monkey soon became famous-or no-

torious, rather—as the bruiser of the com-munity. She—for it was a lady monkey spent her entire time of wakefulness in louching about the decks hunting trouble. Her presence was always announced by short, rasping coughs that struck terror to all the other monkeys and sent them scampering. Then Jenny, as we called her, would come swinging down some rope or backstay, or around some corner, her shoulders hunched up, her long arms swaying and her small fists doubled up. Nor did she draw any sharp lines between men and mankage.

monkeys. One night the bos'n sat in my room when Jenny's cough sounded in the open window. she leaped down to the washstand, whence she reached up and laid claim to the bos'n's cigar. Of course, the bos'n refused to part with his smoke, whereupon Jenny gave him a resounding slap across the cheek. This so rattled the bos'n that he dropped his cigar, and a minute later Jenny disap-peared out of the window with her prize. Whether she smoked it or not we never knew, but her sense of morality never de-

The Monkey That Was Sentimental. Then there was little Tommy. He was a small chap and belonged to my watch mate. Tommy was the sentimental monkey. No matter who came near him, he would put his arms around his neck, and, closing his eyes, lean his little head on the man's shoulder. For every monkey who would let him he showed a similar affectionate regard. Above my washstand was a looking glass

under which, in a rack, were two bottles of fire extinguishing fluid. Tommy would sit on the cork of one bottle, hold fast to the neck of the other with his feet, and lovingly cuddle up to his reflection in the glass. kissing it most fervently and closing his eyes in ecstasy.
Of evenings we would all gather around

our community of pets and watch them in social intercourse. On these occasions we kept Jenny locked up, as she always gave an atmosphere of impending trouble to hese meetings, which were none too peaceful without her.
But one day this happy state of affairs

was brought to a sudden end. Jimmy, the mischievous sprite of the outfit, a little black-faced fellow, belonging to a sergeant, brought disgrace upon himself and the rest of us by venturing into forbidden domain-

the captain's cabin.

We all heard about it soon enough. He got on top of the captain's desk and became interested in the log book. Whether from editorial disapproval, or simply pure mis-chief, we never knew, but he deliberately tore out whole pages from the log book and also dipped his paws into the ink well and then smeared out entries of entire days. This was all, otherwise he did no harm. It was just his attempted revision of the log book that brought on the storm. Next day the whole colony of monkeys, Jenny, Tommy and Jimmy included, were sent ashore and sorrowful and petless we disconsolately watched them go.

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